

TAMMANY FACTION RENT WAITING FOR A NEW LEADER

Martin, Believed to Be the Coming Man, Not Eager for the Job.

This is the present situation in Tammany Hall.

When Richard Croker called for England last January and left Lewis Nixon in charge of the organization the feeling was universal that Nixon would not last. He was unfamiliar with the duties of his position, he was not a practical politician, he had no political strength except that which Croker gave him, and above all, he was by temperament totally unsuited for his task.

There was no opposition to Mr. Nixon because his office was merely nominal. He had no patronage, and until the organization came back to power he would do as well as any one else. It is certain that Mr. Croker never gave him any orders, never interfered with him and, on the other hand, instructed all his friends to help him.

It is true that the Croker men kept in constant communication with the retired leader and looked to him for advice rather than to Mr. Nixon. They had relied on Mr. Croker's judgment for years, and their knowledge of Mr. Nixon was limited to a few months. In addition, deep down in their hearts, they believed that Croker would return, and it was just as well to keep up friendly relations.

Doubted Nixon's Ability.

A majority of the leaders, with John F. Carroll and James J. Martin at their head, doubted Nixon's ability, questioned the manner of his appointment and above all opposed the return to power of Mr. Croker. They resented the dominance of Andrew Freedman, just as Nixon, it now seems, resented it, although he did nothing to end it. They were passive, however, because the primary elections occur in September, and many of the old district leaders may be beaten. They were simply waiting for the outcome of these elections and then they proposed to have something to say.

Delmour Trouble Maker.

Carroll felt that he was badly treated by Croker. He was not only turned down for the leadership, for which he was in direct line, but Delmour, who poses as Croker's mouthpiece, moved into Carroll's district to beat him.

Delmour, who is by nature a gossip and a trouble maker, ran from leader to leader denouncing Carroll and using Croker's name everywhere in his rounds. Of course, all this came back to Carroll.

All the old Croker following took the hint and Carroll was made to feel that he was in disgrace. He is not the kind of a man to submit

tamely, and he promptly began to hit back.

If he had been let alone Carroll proposed to retire from politics.

Carroll a Rich Man.

He is now a rich man, his fortune being estimated at from \$3,000,000 to \$6,000,000. He is immersed in business, is active in the management of a number of banks and is a close ally of Charles W. Morse in this widespread interests. But while he was willing to retire from politics, he objected to being kicked out.

Tammany's Factions.

There were thus three elements in Tammany, the Croker crowd, with Freedman, Delmour and Seanell at its head; the anti-Croker crowd, led by Carroll and Martin; and lastly, Mr. Nixon, who, although nominally leader, was absolutely alone.

All expected that things would drift until September. There was to be no election, no appointment of any importance, and no reason for a change. The resignation of Nixon was altogether unexpected. He is an impulsive, hot-headed young man, and his growing irritation over the constant cabling of the district leaders to Wantage culminated in his outburst at the Sachems' meeting, when they refused to elect his candidate for Grand Sachem.

Croker Men Disorganized.

The Croker men were dumbfounded. They had no leader. Croker was in England and seemed determined to stay there. In his absence they were helpless.

Carroll, on the other hand, kept his head, calmly picked up the lines which Mr. Nixon had so impetuously thrown down and was ready for business.

There is no question that Carroll has a powerful element with him in his fight against Croker. He says he does not want the leadership, however.

Martin for Leader.

He is for James J. Martin, if there is to be any leader, but would prefer to have the organization governed by a committee named by the district leaders.

In the mean time Martin is not eager for the place. He has a moderate fortune, his wants are not great, he is unmarried and his life moves along very quietly and very pleasantly. He has his own circle of friends, many of whom are not politicians, and the worries and responsibilities of such a position as leader of Tammany Hall do not appeal to him. It is not at all certain that Martin would accept the leadership if it were offered to him.

THIRTY-FIVE CARRIED OUT FROM BLAZING FIRE TRAP.

Ladder Breaks and Brave Fireman La Forrester Is Fatally Hurt.

Thirty-five persons were in danger of death from fire this morning in the three-story and attic frame building at No. 1902 Park avenue, near One Hundred and Thirtieth street. They were so badly scared that they made little effort to save themselves, and most of them were carried down a ladder by firemen.

One ladder broke, dropping four firemen and one woman. The firemen were not seriously hurt, but the woman was bruised and suffered from shock.

The broken ladder struck the head of another fireman, fracturing his skull, breaking one arm and inflicting other injuries.

Escape shut off.

The fire started in a barrel of rubbish in the rear of the hallway on the ground floor. The building is more than fifty years old and burned with great rapidity. The families upstairs could not escape by the stairway and ran to the front windows where they peered for help.

DETECTIVE ARRESTED.

Court Quickly Releases Accused Service Man.

Policeman Delaney, who arrested Robert Arthur Appleton at 3 o'clock this morning in the doorway of a storehouse at No. 31 Main street, Brooklyn, located on making a complaint today in the Supreme court Police Court, but the several times with but not being the prisoner was discharged.

Appleton said that he was waiting for two friends whom he suspected of being conspirators. He said that he had been arrested when he was and Appleton discharged the prisoner and "Appleton" was arrested.

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SQUADERS NAMED FOR CUBA.

Four men have been named to visit the island of Cuba.

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HOMEOPATHS NOW RULE THE HOSPITAL

Allopathic Force Leaves Jamaica Institution in Anger and Patients Will Have Change of Treatment.

Now the homeopaths are in control at the Jamaica Hospital, in Jamaica, L. I. The allopaths had been treating the patients there for a year, but the staff of eight doctors have resigned in a body because the trustees of the institution were in favor of sharing the work with the homeopaths.

The method had been in the allopathic hospital for a year, but the allopathic doctors had refused to serve longer.

Now the trustees who have had lots of trouble over the matter face the problem of running the hospital with four doctors. These are C. K. Holden, Herbert Noble, W. L. McFarland and Dr. Castiblanco, the homeopathic force.

The allopaths who resigned are: P. M. Wood, Henry W. Auger, A. J. Blanchard, Samuel Hendrickson, George K. Meyner, T. J. Flynn, E. L. Jones and W. T. Howell.

The doctors serve without pay.

POLICE MEDALISTS CHOSEN.

Commissioner Partridge Names

Three Men to Be Decorated.

Commissioner Partridge today named the men who on May 26 will be decorated in honor of the police force.

Roundman James H. Nolan, of the Union Street Station will receive the Rhineland medal for valor. Nolan on May 11 jumped from a College Point ferryboat and rescued two men from drowning.

The Rhineland medal for bravery goes to Roundman Robert Quinn, of the Union Street Station, who on May 11 dropped two men from the North River at the foot of West Third street, risking his life in the act.

The third medal presented to the police force each year is the Police Medal. It was given to Roundman H. E. Miller, who saved two men from drowning at the foot of West Third street and Twenty-ninth street.

KOCIAN ENGAGED FOR TOUR.

American Bandmaster Will in Europe

bandmaster. He will be accompanied by his wife and two children.

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ACCUSES CHIEF OF PUSHCART MEN.

Peddler Says He Was Beaten and Robbed by Adam Bellus, Whose District He Inhabited.

An humble captain of industry is Adam Bellus, who lives at One Hundred and Eighty-eighth street and Amsterdam avenue and has a store at One Hundred and Tenth street and Broadway.

He has accumulated money and power, and controls the pushcart business west of Eighth avenue and north of One Hundred and Tenth street. His alleged strongarmness in holding this control resulted in his being held in \$1,000 bail for trial in Harlem Court today on a charge of assault.

Chasolobas Prabha, a meek and lowly peddler, was the complainant. He knew that Bellus controlled the district and that no peddler who did not buy goods in the Bellus store was allowed to do business in it, but he went in last Wednesday.

At One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street and Amsterdam avenue he encountered Bellus and two other Greeks, who, it is alleged, beat him until he was insensible and went away with his pushcart and his goods amounting to \$45.

A policeman found Prabha and took him to J. Hood Wright Hospital. When he recovered he told his story, and detectives went after Bellus, finding him after an exciting search.

PATRONS LOYAL TO THEATRE

When Boy Criticizes the Star, He Is Beaten and Thrown Out.

A spirit of factionalism between the patrons of the People's and the Thalia Theatre led to the arrest of Benjamin Watkins, twenty-one years old, of No. 16 Edinburg street, on a charge of creating a disturbance in the Thalia.

When arraigned before Magistrate May, in the Centre Street Police Court today, Watkins stated that he was engaged to a friend at last night's performance that Bellus, for star at the Thalia, was not the equal of Adler, the star at the People's, and that persons who overheard him said he had said that he was disloyal.

HUMPHREYS FOR STEVENS.

Superior Engineer May Receive

Technological President.

Dr. Edward A. Stevens, of Brooklyn, having declined to become President of the American Institute of Technology in New York, the late Hon. Charles D. May, of New York, has been elected to the position.

Dr. Stevens is one of the most prominent men in the country. He is a member of the American Academy of Arts and Sciences, and is a member of the American Association of University Professors.

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CHARGES DISCRIMINATION.

Student Alleges Discrimination in With-hold on Account of Color.

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He says he is the descendant of an Indian chief and a negro mother and claims that while attending the school he was discriminated against on account of his color.

He has secured a number of signatures to a petition for the removal of his name from the roll of the school.

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\$2.50 for Boys' Suits, vestee, sailor and double breasted, all wool, fast colors (special lot), taken from our regular \$3.75 and \$3.58 lot, at **\$2.50**

\$1.50 for Boys' Suits, Russian and sailor blouse, in striped crash linen, with plain crash collars, 3 to 6 years, at **\$1.50**

89c. for Boys' Blue Serge Pants, full lined, all wool, fast colors, patent waist bands, taped seams and full cut, 3 to 16 years, at **.89**

29c. for Boys' Straw Hats, large white sailors with blue and white bands, good straw, **.29**

\$2.85 for Boys' Vests, cutaway sack coat, medium colors and dark effects, good wearing, 11 to 14 years, price, **\$2.85**

\$3.48 for Boys' 2-Piece Suits, double breasted, for dress wear, in fine worsteds and fancy chevots, medium and light checks and stripes, strictly all wool, 7 to 15 yrs., worth \$5, **\$3.45**

79c. for Boys' Washable Suits, good quality Calicoes, fast colors, in blue and white stripes, with white collars and light blue stripes, 3 to 10 years, **.79**

\$8.50 for Men's Top Coats, in Oxford gray and tan covers, some with satin sleeve lining, latest cut and medium length, 34 to 40 chest, **\$8.50**

\$1.90 for Men's Trousers, worsteds, in medium stripes, good grade, regular sizes, **\$1.90**

\$2.75 for Men's Trousers, in worsteds and chevots, in dark, medium and light colors, extra well made, regular and stout sizes, **\$2.75**

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